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Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed July 27, 2006, the Applicants request entry of the following amendments to place the application in condition for allowance or, in the alternative, to place the claims in better condition for consideration upon appeal: